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Group Art Unit 2615, Expedited Procedure

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

KATSUHISA OGAWA ET AL.

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 9, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The claim amendments are reflected in the listing that begins at page 2. The remarks begin at page 5.

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